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**SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

Make all adjustments at minimum pressure (no load on elevator) except where noted. "IN" is ALWAYS (CW) clockwise. "OUT" is ALWAYS (CCW) counterclockwise. **THE CONTROL BLOCK ADJUSTERS HAVE SEAL NUTS, NOT LOCK NUTS.** Adjust nut only to set seal friction (friction will maintain adjustment). When adjustment procedure calls for coils to be disconnected, disconnect them electrically. Do not remove them physically. Make adjustments with a minimum oil temperature of 80° F, not to exceed 100° F maximum. Maxton recommends the use of a 5-micron filtration system. With the presence of at least some adverse conditions in most installations, serious consideration should be given to overhaul or replacement of a control valve on a five year cycle.

**GAUGE PORTS:**

Gauge ports - 1/8" NPT provided at points A, B and S.  
**A** Port: Pump pressure (RELIEF, WORKING PRESSURE).  
**B** Port: Jack pressure (STATIC, DOWN RUNNING).  
**S** Port: Low pressure switch port.

**Note: The minimum operating pressure at port B should be at least 50 psi (3.4 bar) as car is moving down full speed with no load. See flow chart.**

**OPERATIONAL DATA:**

**Min. / Max. Pressure:** 50-600 psi (3.4-41.5 bar)  
**Max. Rated Flow:** 360 gpm (1363 l / min.)  
**Operating Temperature:** 80°-150° F (26°-65° C)  
**Optimal Temp. Range:** 100°-130° F (38°-54° C)  
**Oil Type:** Hyd. ISO VG 32  
 150 SUS @ 100° F (38° C)

\* **SAFETACH** performance meter validates valve adjustment by providing direct speed and acceleration (g-force) readouts.

**Questions:** Call Tech Support (775) 782-1700 (7am-4pm PST), use Maxtonvalve.com or download Maxton Mobile Mechanic from your APP Store

**UP SECTION ADJUSTMENTS** (Start with car at lower landing)

- 1 **BPS** Disconnect the **US** coil, turn **UA** IN (CW), register an up call and turn **BPS** IN (CW) until the car just moves. Next, turn the **BPS** adjuster OUT (CCW) until it stops the movement of the car, then OUT 1/2 turn more. Snug lock nut on **BPS** adjuster and stop pump. Reconnect the **US** coil.
  - 2 **UA** Register an up call (pump running, **U** & **US** coils energized, car should not move), slowly turn **UA** OUT (CCW) to attain full up speed within 24 to 36 inches. \* **(Accel 0.04g-0.09g)**.
  - 3 **UL** Disconnect the **U** coil. Turn **UL** adjuster IN (CW) to stop and register an up call to verify that the **LS** adjustment is set to 3 to 5 fpm. (If not, readjust **LS**\*). Turn **UL** adjuster OUT (CCW) to attain 9 to 12 fpm leveling speed. Reconnect the **U** coil and lower the car to lowest landing. \***(Read leveling speed)**.
  - 4 **UT** Register an up call and turn **UT** IN (CW) so that the car slows to provide 4 to 6 inches of stabilized up leveling. Repeat steps 3 and 4 as necessary. \***(Decel 0.04g-0.09g)**.
  - 5 **US** With **US** adjuster fully OUT (CCW), car should stop 1/4" to 3/8" below floor. After a normal up run, turn **US** IN (CW) as needed to bring car to floor level. The pump must be timed to run 1/2 second after the car has reached the floor.
  - 6 With empty car at bottom floor, disconnect **U** & **US** coils and register a call. The car must not move. If movement occurs, check **BPS** and **US**
- LS\*** Dot on the **LS** adjuster should be referenced to the line between F / S. When necessary, disconnect the **U** coil and turn the **UL** adjuster IN (CW) to stop. Unlock the **LS** adjuster by loosening the screw next to the symbol 1 turn. Move the **LS** adjuster slightly toward S for slower or F for faster leveling speeds. Set adjustment from 3 to 5 fpm with the **LS** adjuster, tighten locking screw down, verify **LS** speed after tightening screw, then repeat step 3. \* **(Level Speed Test 3 to 5 fpm)**.

**ADDITIONAL ADJUSTMENT INFORMATION FOR THE UC2 / UC2A ON THE BACK SIDE**

DEFAULT SETTINGS			
If valve is received from Maxton, only minor adjustments may be required.			
<b>CONTROL BLOCK</b>			
US	UP STOP	OUT (CCW)	to stop. (faster rate).
UL	UP LEVEL	IN (CW)	to stop. (slower speed).
UA	UP ACCELERATION	IN (CW)	to stop. (slower rate).
UT	UP TRANSITION	OUT (CCW)	to stop. (faster rate).
R	RELIEF (factory set)	APPROX 450 psi (CW increases pressure)	
<b>VALVE BODY</b>			
BPS	BY-PASS SIZING	OUT (CCW)	to stop (delays up start)
LS*	LEVEL SPEED (factory set)	DOT ON LINE	(set 3-5 fpm)

**DOWN SECTION ADJUSTMENTS** (Start with car at upper landing)

- 7 **D** Register a down call to set proper down speed with down speed adjuster **D** as required. Send car to upper landing. \***(Read high speed)**.
  - 8 **DA** Start by turning **DA** adjuster IN (CW) to stop. Register a down call and turn the **DA** adjuster slowly OUT (CCW) until the car accelerates smoothly. Send car to upper landing. \***(Accel 0.04g-0.09g)**.
  - 9 **DT** Register a down call and turn **DT** IN (CW) so that the car slows to provide 4 to 6 inches of stabilized down leveling. Send car to upper landing. \* **(Decel 0.04g-0.09g)**.
  - 10 **DL** Disconnect **D** coil. Register a down call, hold **D** adjuster in place and set down level speed at 6 to 9 fpm with the **DL** adjuster. Tighten both **D** & **DL** lock nuts (snug tight). Reconnect **D** coil. \* **(leveling speed 6 to 9 fpm)**.
  - 11 **DS** Turn **DS** IN (CW), when necessary, for a softer stop.
- ML** MANUAL LOWERING: Turn **ML** screw OUT (CCW) to lower car downward at leveling speed when necessary.
- R** RELIEF:
- a. Land car in pit and install pressure gauge in **A** port.
  - b. Register an up call with a fully loaded car, making note of Maximum operating pressure.
  - c. Turn **UA** adjuster OUT (CCW) to stop. Turn RELIEF adjuster OUT (CCW) two turns.
  - d. Close the manual shut off valve to the jack.
  - e. Register an up call, observe pressure gauge and turn RELIEF IN (CW) to increase pressure. Final setting should be in accordance with local code requirement not to exceed 150% of maximum operating pressure.
  - f. Tighten the lock nut (snug tight).
  - g. Restart to check the pressure relief setting. Seal as required.
  - h. Open the manual shut off valve to the jack.
  - i. Readjust **UA** for proper Up acceleration. \***(Accel 0.04g-0.09g)**.

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<b>CONTROL BLOCK</b>			
DT	DOWN TRANSITION	OUT (CCW)	to stop. (faster rate)
DA	DOWN ACCELERATION	OUT (CCW)	to stop. (faster rate)
DS	DOWN STOP	OUT (CCW)	to stop. (faster rate)
ML	MANUAL LOWERING	IN (CW)	to stop.
<b>VALVE BODY</b>			
D	DOWN SPEED	Turn OUT (CCW) 4 threads above lock nut.	(faster speed)
DL	DOWN LEVEL	Turn OUT (CCW) 2 threads above lock nut.	(faster speed)

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## UC2 – UC2A CONTROLLERS ONLY

The UC2 – UC2A is down speed regulated to provide a constant rate of speed in the down direction, regardless of varying loads. Speed will not vary more than five percent. To adjust UC2 – UC2A follow the same procedure used in adjusting the UC1 / UC1A with the following exceptions.

The Balance Adjuster (BA) located on the side of the bottom closure is **factory** set.

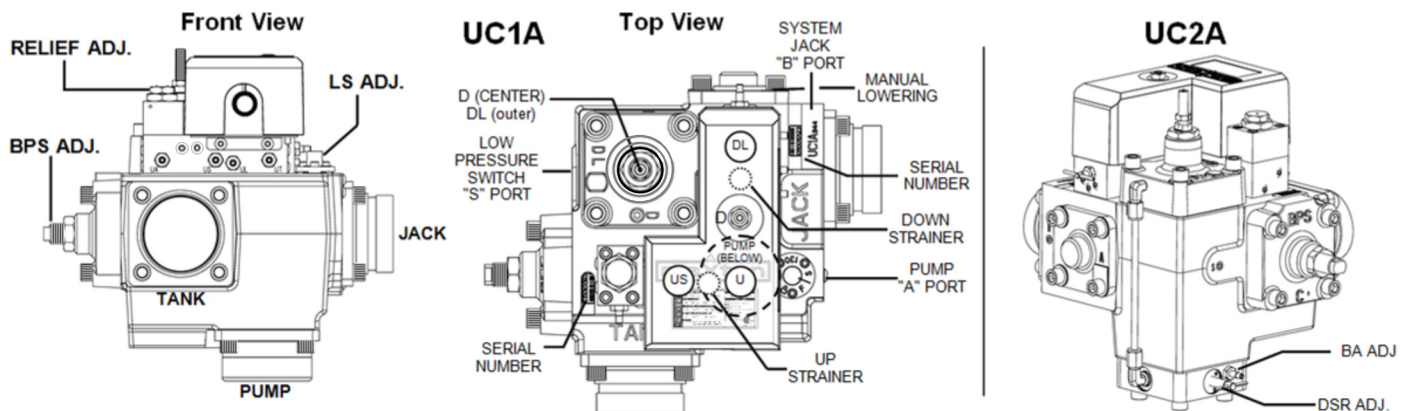
### Systems with operating pressure LESS than 175 psi when The car is traveling down empty.

The DOWN SPEED REGULATOR (DSR) adjuster is located on the side of the bottom closure next to the BA adjuster.

- (1) Turn DSR in (CW) to stop at the start of the down section the adjustment. Set the down speed 10% higher than normal, with no load on the elevator, then adjust the down direction in the normal manner.
- (2) After the down section has been adjusted completely, and the unloaded car is operating 10% above its rated or normal speed, turn the DSR adjuster OUT (CCW) to slow the car to its normal operating speed.

### Systems with operating pressure MORE than 175 psi when car is traveling down empty.

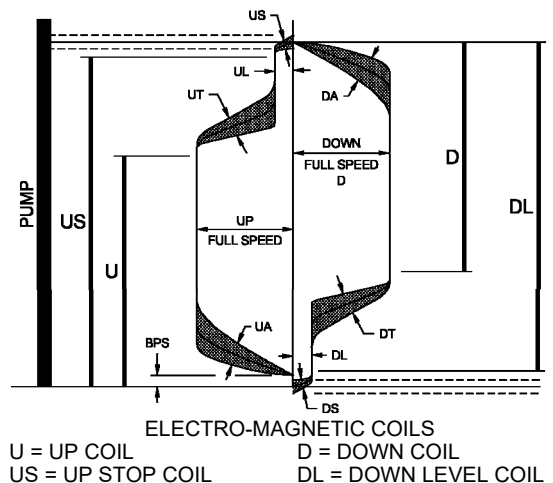
- (1) Turn DOWN SPEED REGULATOR (DSR) adjuster IN (CW) to stop then back out (CCW) two full turns.
- (2) Following the **Regulator** adjustment procedure, adjust down section as instructed.



**ATTENTION:** All Maxton Valves **MUST** be installed with the solenoids in the upright (vertical position). Prior to 2012 the sleeve and baseplate were an integral part of coil operation. 2012 to current the C-Frame is an integral part of coil operation.

## COIL OPERATING SEQUENCE

- US** For up travel, energize when pump starts and de-energize to stop. With US energized and pump running, car will move up at leveling speed. For "soft stop", pump should run 1/2 second after US de-energizes.
- U** Energize with US coil to run up at contract speed. De-energize at slowdown distance from floor. Slowdown distance = 2 inches for each 10 fpm of car speed NOT to exceed 6 inches for every 25 fpm of car speed. **If necessary increase slowdown distance to achieve 4-6 inches of stabilized up leveling.**
- DL** Energize to move car at leveling speed. De-energize to stop.
- D** Energize with DL coil to run down at contract speed. De-energize at slowdown distance from floor. Slowdown distance = 2 inches for each 10 fpm of car speed NOT to exceed 6 inches for every 25 fpm of car speed. **If necessary increase slowdown distance to achieve 4-6 inches of stabilized down leveling.**



**CAUTION:** On Wye - Delta Up Start do not energize U and US Coils until motor is running on Delta. With soft starter, energized US coil with motor up to speed signal.